

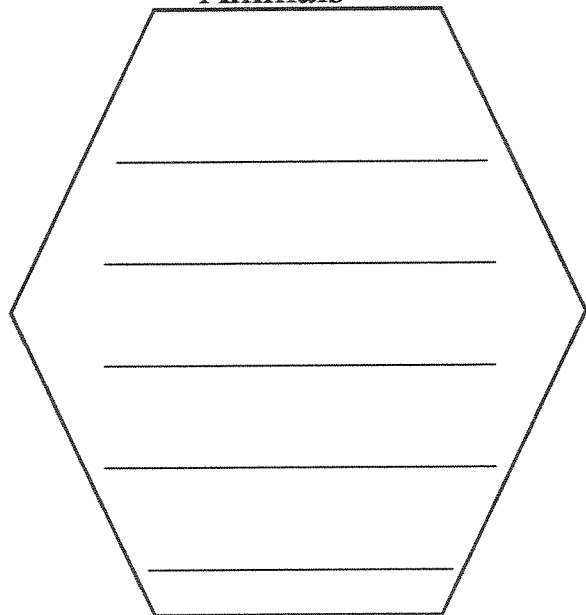
**“oa”  
Categories**

**Read the following words:**

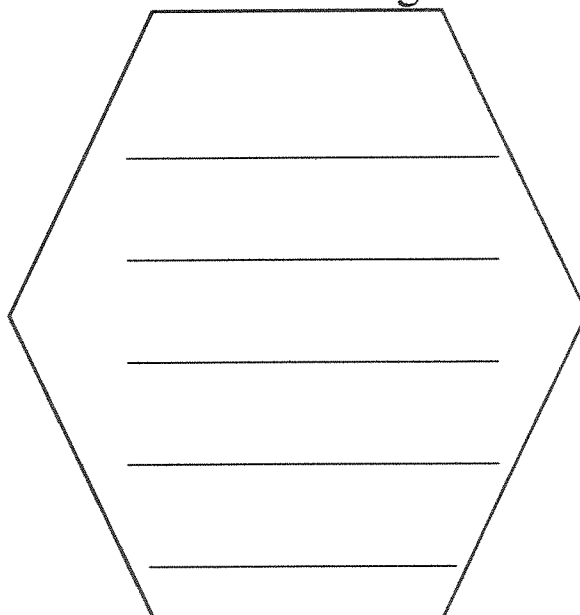
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throat	gloat	oath	boar	roast	toast
toad	boast	float	board	gloat	roar

**Find words from the above that fit these categories.**

**Animals**



**Food/Cooking**



**Clothing:** \_\_\_\_\_

**“oa”  
Verbs**

**Read the following words:**

coax	goat	boat	foam	coat	roar
toast	throat	roast	soar	coal	soak
groan	loan	road	roam	float	oath

**Verbs are action words. Examples of verbs are “jump, run, swim, wade, or sing.”  
Fill in the blanks with an appropriate action from the above list.**

**(chicken dinner friend tables clothes bird)**

1. You should not \_\_\_\_\_ the streets after dark.
2. The boat \_\_\_\_\_-ed on the lake.
3. Mother \_\_\_\_\_-ed a chicken for dinner.
4. The boy \_\_\_\_\_-ed the bike to his friend.
5. The bird \_\_\_\_\_-ed in the sky.
6. We \_\_\_\_\_-ed at the joke.
7. He \_\_\_\_\_-ed the truck with the bed, chairs, and tables.
8. The rain \_\_\_\_\_-ed her clothes.

**“oa”**

**Homonyms: Animals**

**Read the following words and phrases:**

goat      boat      coal      moat      toad      croaked

boast      roach      hoarse      boar      moan      roam

soar      soap      float      groan      coast      poach

“she roasted the beef”      “the coarse cloth”      “he played a hoax”

“the tall oak tree”      “soap dish”      “dry throat”

“he wore a dark cloak”      “take an oath to be honest”

“you could hear the toad croaking”      “kill the roaches”

“roamed the streets at night”      “floated on the water”

**Homonyms have the same pronunciations but different spellings and meanings: e.g., “lone vs. loan” or “road vs. rode”.**

**Can you find the following animal homonyms?**

hoarse      \_\_\_\_\_

bore      \_\_\_\_\_

towed      \_\_\_\_\_

**Can you think of other animal homonyms?**


\_\_\_\_\_

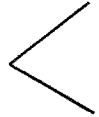
**Cumulative: “ai” thru “oa”**


**Read the following words:**

grain	aim	herd	nerve	terse	slight
foam	coax	bright	slight	cloak	roast
board	might	goat	groan	fright	jay
frail	drain	stern	term	loam	soap
toad	blight	fright	loam	poach	quaint
braid	clay	sway	stray	perm	pert
road	soap	boar	coarse	hoax	light
verb	serve	hail	wail	plain	road
coast	bloat	night	way	pray	flair

**Find the multiple meanings for the following:**

light  \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

nerve  \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

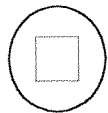
bright  \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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**Homonyms, Synonyms, Antonyms**

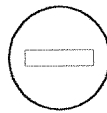
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pain	float	bait	coal	say	night
sway	slay	terse	maid	maim	oath
soar	flight	tray	rail	ail	fail

**Find the homonyms, synonyms or antonyms for the following words. Use the following picture code.**



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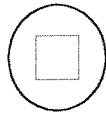


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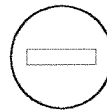


synonym

knight

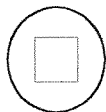


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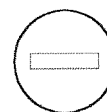


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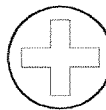
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**left**

\_\_\_\_\_

tell

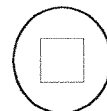


\_\_\_\_\_

hurt



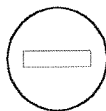
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**pane**

\_\_\_\_\_

sink



\_\_\_\_\_

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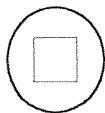
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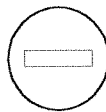
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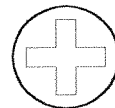
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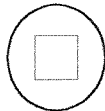


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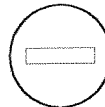


synonym

knight



night

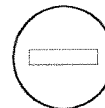


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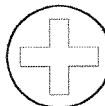


right



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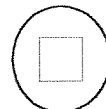


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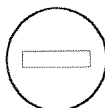


pain



pane

sink



float

kill



slay

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**Answer the following questions:**

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part of your body: \_\_\_\_\_

not smooth but \_\_\_\_\_

four-legged animals: \_\_\_\_\_

sob or cry loudly: \_\_\_\_\_

synonym for brag: \_\_\_\_\_

a group of animals (e.g., cattle): \_\_\_\_\_

homonym for plane: \_\_\_\_\_



**Cumulative: “ai” thru “oa”  
(Pronouns)**

**Read the following words/phrases:**

road	right	fright	boar	croak	serve
snail	raid	night	sail	boat	faint
sprain	strain	stray	pert	fern	quaint
might	bright	hoax	goad	goat	gloat
coarse	coach	slight	wait	hay	vain

**A pronoun takes the place of a noun. Subject pronouns include the following: I, you, she, he, we, it, and they. Draw an arrow from the pronoun to the noun that it refers to.**

1. The boy played a hoax on the girl. He was scolded by the coach.
2. Mother raided the ice box last night. She ate the roasted chicken.
3. The boar ran away from the hunter. It was scared and almost fainted.
4. The pert girls might help the lost child. They felt bad for him.
5. The wet road was slippery from the rain. It was not very safe.
6. You and I waited for a long time for the cab. We were not happy.



**Cumulative: “ai” thru “oa”  
(Pronouns)2**

**Read the following words/phrases:**

wail	lay	perm	term	terse	pray
roar	foal	coax	light	groan	oath
slight	sigh	paint	high	snail	stain
ray	gray	clerk	sight	roam	poach
saint	braid	train	road	goal	broach

**A pronoun takes the place of a noun. Subject pronouns include the following: I, you, she, he, we, it, and they. Fill in the blanks with the appropriate pronoun.**

1. The tall male clerk was helpful. \_\_\_\_\_ was a saint!
2. Jon and I roamed the hallways after school but \_\_\_\_\_ were told to go home.
3. Susan and Jill were vain about their hair. \_\_\_\_\_ brushed and then braided \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The train left on time. \_\_\_\_\_ will arrive in Dallas at midnight.
5. Jill picked up the snail from the road. \_\_\_\_\_ then placed \_\_\_\_\_ on the plant.
6. The foal was small and gray. \_\_\_\_\_ was quite a sight to *behold*!

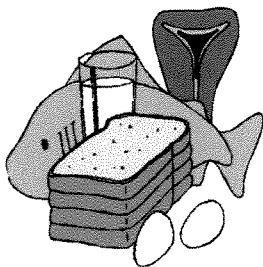
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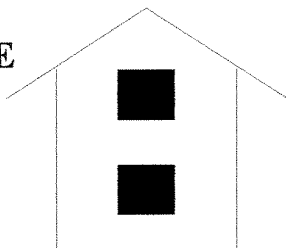


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**HOUSE**



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**TRANS-  
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**Cumulative: Short Vowels thru "oa"**  
**Adjectives**

**Read the following words:**

short	stern	frail	sick	kind	smart
deer	sleeve	bright	black	coat	dry
long	toast	throat	brave	sore	lake
huge	tale	smock	rude	drill	truck
tall	string	boss	shed	shelf	dull
test	wide	ship	trench	wish	deep
boy	gold	fort	coin	paint	hard

**Adjectives modify nouns - e.g., *soft* cloth. Fill in the blanks with the appropriate adjectives from above:**

\_\_\_\_\_ string

\_\_\_\_\_ trench

\_\_\_\_\_ boss

\_\_\_\_\_ coat

\_\_\_\_\_ lights

\_\_\_\_\_ throat

\_\_\_\_\_ ship

\_\_\_\_\_ toast

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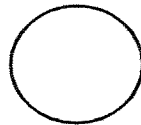
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**Parts of Speech/Directions**

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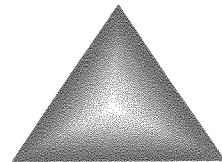
judge	blank	scope	harsh	sight	small
flush	trait	board	scratch	thrash	ledge
yarn	verse	chain	froth	shrug	deep
drink	boil	hold	wave	skate	deck
bring	brush	branch	spell	twist	slap

**A noun is a person, place or thing. Verbs are action words. Adjectives describe nouns. Follow the directions below.**

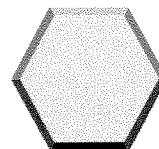
1. Circle the nouns in the first row.



2. Draw a triangle around the adjective in the middle row.



3. Draw a triangle around the adjective in the fourth column.



4. Draw a hexagon around the words in the third row that can be both verbs and nouns.

5. Draw a square around the words in the last row that are verbs.



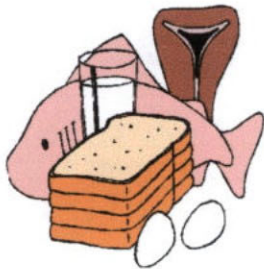
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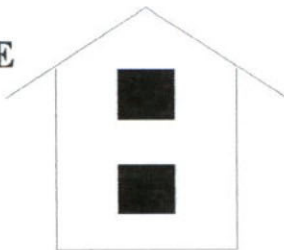


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**HOUSE**



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**TRANSPORTATION**



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**Phonogram: oa**  
**Syntax**

**Read the following words:**

boat	goat	moan	coax	goal	moat
loan	loaf	toad	soap	road	roar
roam	float	toast	roach	poach	roast

**Complete the rest of the sentence with most of the words from above:**

The sheep ate the grass.

\_\_\_\_\_ ate the grass.

The hare was jumping on the road.

\_\_\_\_\_ was jumping on the road.

My mom poached an egg.

My mom \_\_\_\_\_.

The boat sank in the water.

\_\_\_\_\_ on the water.

Catch the roach.

\_\_\_\_\_ the roach.

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